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| | | U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5) 10/566,940 | | | | |
| INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/US04/16431 | INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 21 May 2004 (21.05.04) | PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 27 May 2003 (27.05.03) | | | | |
| TITLE OF INVENTION FUEL CELL MEMBRANE CONTAINING ZIRCONIUM PHOSPHATE | | | | | | |
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| APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Yang, Zhen-Yu | | | | | | |
| Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information: | | | | | | |
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| 3. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below. | | | | | | |
| 1. The US has been elected (Article 31). | | | | | | |
| 5. A copy of the International Application | 5. A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) | | | | | |
| a. is attached hereto (required o | a. is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). | | | | | |
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| c. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). | | | | | | |
| 6. An English language translation of the | An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). | | | | | |
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| b. has been previously submitte | b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). | | | | | |
| Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) | | | | | | |
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| 8. An English language translation of the | An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). | | | | | |
| 9. An oath or declaration of the inventor(s | An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). | | | | | |
| 10. An English language translation of the Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)). | 1 1 | | | | | |
| Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included: | | | | | | |
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| 12. An assignment document for recording | An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. | | | | | |
| 13. A preliminary amendment. | A preliminary amendment. | | | | | |
| 14. An Application Data Sheet under 37 Cl | An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76. | | | | | |
| A substitute specification. | | | | | | |
| | A power of attorney and/or change of address letter. | | | | | |
| 17. A computer-readable form of the seque | A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821- 1.825. | | | | | |
| 18. A second copy of the published Interna | A second copy of the published international Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). | | | | | |
| 19. A second copy of the English language | A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). | | | | | |

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